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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

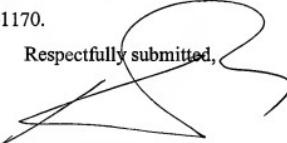
In response to the Office Action of October 21, 2008, the Applicant hereby elects Group III of claims of 24-30, drawn to methods used for task control and resource allocation, classified in class at 718, subclass 100.

This election is made without traverse.

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No fees are believed to be due with this communication. Nevertheless, the Director is authorized to charge any fees associated with this or any other communication, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1170.

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